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NEWS RELEASE

Temporary Lane Closures for Alameda Rapid Transit Project

EL PASO, Texas - The Alameda BRIO Rapid Transit System (RTS) project is gaining traction with utility relocation work.

Texas Gas Service this week will begin utility relocation work that will require some temporary lane closures along Alameda Street. The lane closures will last approximately five weeks and will be located near these intersections: Alameda at Vocational; Alameda at George Orr; Alameda at Davis; Alameda at Flicker; Alameda at Ange; and Alameda at Yarbrough.

Proper traffic control measures and detours routes will be in place throughout the closures. Work schedules, detours and lane closures may change due to weather and other unforeseen events.

The Alameda RTS project will offer El Pasoans a high-quality transit system, which will connect the Mission Valley to Central and downtown once it is constructed. The transit project will stretch across approximately 14 miles and will include all the services and amenities that are found on the recently constructed Mesa RTS such as 60-foot articulated buses, a frequency of 10 minutes (peak service) to 15 minutes (off-peak service), landscaped stations that are spaced about a mile apart, and the ability for the busses to lengthen the green traffic signals.

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